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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Docket No. FEMA-2014-0002

[Internal Agency Docket No. FEMA-B-1359]

Proposed Flood Hazard Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency; DHS.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: On January 30, 2014, FEMA published in the <u>Federal Register</u> a proposed flood hazard determination notice that contained an erroneous table. This notice provides corrections to that table, to be used in lieu of the information published at 79 FR 4950. The table provided here represents the proposed flood hazard determinations and communities affected for Mercer County, New Jersey (All Jurisdictions).

DATES: Comments are to be submitted on or before [INSERT DATE 90 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: The Preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), and where applicable, the Flood Insurance Study (FIS) report for each community are available for inspection at both the online location and the respective Community Map Repository address listed in the table below. Additionally, the current effective FIRM and FIS report for each community are accessible online through the FEMA Map Service Center at www.msc.fema.gov for comparison.

You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. FEMA-B-1359, to Luis Rodriguez, Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Federal Insurance and

Mitigation Administration, FEMA, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-4064, or (e-mail) <u>Luis.Rodriguez3@fema.dhs.gov.</u>

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<u>Luis.Rodriguez3@fema.dhs.gov</u>; or visit the FEMA Map Information eXchange (FMIX) online at <u>www.floodmaps.fema.gov/fhm/fmx_main.html</u>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FEMA proposes to make flood hazard determinations for each community listed in the table below, in accordance with Section 110 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4104, and 44 CFR 67.4(a).

These proposed flood hazard determinations, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter requirements of its own, or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities. These flood hazard determinations are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and are also used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after the FIRM and FIS report become effective.

The communities affected by the flood hazard determinations are provided in the table below. Any request for reconsideration of the revised flood hazard determinations shown on the Preliminary FIRM and FIS report that satisfies the data requirements outlined in 44 CFR 67.6(b) is considered an appeal. Comments unrelated to the flood

hazard determinations will also be considered before the FIRM and FIS report are made final.

Use of a Scientific Resolution Panel (SRP) is available to communities in support of the appeal resolution process. SRPs are independent panels of experts in hydrology, hydraulics, and other pertinent sciences established to review conflicting scientific and technical data and provide recommendations for resolution. Use of the SRP may only be exercised after FEMA and local communities have been engaged in a collaborative consultation process for at least 60 days without a mutually acceptable resolution of an appeal. Additional information regarding the SRP process can be found online at

http://www.fema.gov/pdf/media/factsheets/2011/srp_fs.pdf.

Correction

In the proposed flood hazard determination notice published at 79 FR 4950, the table contained inaccurate information as to the watershed or communities affected by the proposed flood hazard determinations, or the associated community map repository or web addresses also featured in the table. In this notice, FEMA is publishing a table containing the accurate information, to address these prior errors. The information provided below should be used in lieu of that previously published.

Mercer County, New Jersey (All Jurisdictions) Maps Available for Inspection Online at: http://www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata	
Borough of Hightstown	Clerk's Office
	156 Bank Street
	Hightstown, NJ 08520
Borough of Hopewell	Clerk's Office
	88 Broad Street
	Hopewell, NJ 08525

Borough of Pennington Borough Hall 30 North Main Street Pennington, NJ 08534 City of Trenton Trenton Fire Department 244 Perry Street Trenton, NJ 08618 Municipality of Princeton Office of Engineering 400 Witherspoon Street Princeton, NJ 08540 Township of East Windsor **Engineering Department** 16 Lanning Boulevard East Windsor, NJ 08520 Township of Ewing Construction Office 2 Jake Garzio Drive Ewing, NJ 08628 Township of Hamilton Municipal Building 2090 Greenwood Avenue, Room 307 Hamilton, NJ 08609 Township of Hopewell Hopewell Township Zoning Office 201 Washington Crossing Pennington Road Titusville, NJ 08560 Township of Lawrence **Engineering Office** 2207 Lawrence Road Lawrence, NJ 08648 Township of Robbinsville Planning and Zoning Department 1 Washington Boulevard Robbinsville, NJ 08691 Township of West Windsor Community Development Department 271 Clarksville Road

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West Windsor, NJ 08550

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